

19 August 1950

Rear Admiral T. R. Cooley, USN
Acting President
Naval War College
Newport, Rhode Island

Dear Admiral:

Since writing you on 2 August conditions have changed and I now find it will be impossible for me to address the Class on Friday morning, 1 September. However, unless there are objections from you, I plan to send Mr. Shane MacCarthy, a very knowledgeable and excellent speaker who has been with CIA for about three years and knows the subject thoroughly. He will make the address in my place unless, as I said above, there are objections from the War College.

He really is much better than I am and I think you will enjoy his lecture a lot. He will write directly to you within the next day or so, giving you his schedule of arrival.

I am most delighted that I am going to sea again and I hope I may see you there.

With very best personal regards, believe me,

Sincerely,

(Signature)

R. H. Willenskeller
Rear Admiral, USN
Director of Central
Intelligence

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